

Merry Christmas for Family of Ten Is Found Wrapped Up in a \$10 Bill

How Evening World Plays
Santa Claus for the
McGranes.

DINNER FOR ALL FIRST.

That Costs Only \$2 When
Careful Mrs. McGrane Lays
Out and Buys Menu.

If you want to be a real Santa Claus and bring Christmas cheer into homes where the gift-bearing saint sometimes forgets to go, why don't you follow the example of The Evening World, which has made ten people happy, and all for the sum of \$2.

Here is the story of how a \$10 bill has brought a real Christmas to a family of ten: It bought a Christmas dinner, toys for eight children, not to mention candy, oranges and clothing. All this really happened because Mrs. Thomas McGrane, of No. 490 West Fifty-sixth street, who accompanied The Evening World reporter, made cautious purchases, such as only people who know the value of money when it comes to pennies, can make.

The other day Mary McGrane wrote a letter to The Evening World telling how her mother was too poor to buy any Christmas for her five brothers and two sisters. Mary wasn't worrying about herself, but she did hate seeing Santa Claus pass the children, being two years old, and the "little brother" of the family. Mary doesn't count herself among the children.

Mary's letter suggested the plan to The Evening World of seeing just how much Christmas happiness could be bought for \$10.

How \$10 Was Used.

When the plan was proposed to Mrs. McGrane, the hard-working, patient mother of this big family could hardly believe her good luck. As for Mary, she had to take her hands out of the dishwater and dry them on her apron so she could hug her mother for pure joy.

When Mrs. McGrane entered a big department store, where everything from candy for the Christmas stocking to the stockings themselves could be purchased, her heart was full.

"I never dreamed that Mary's letter would bring more than a few dollars," she said. "And here we are going to have a perfect Christmas."

Thinking of it, Christmas philanthropists' A perfect Christmas for eight children ranging from two to fifteen years and a father and mother all for \$10.

"You see, Mr. McGrane only makes me a week, and, besides, he is a can girl in a Fourteenth street department store, makes fine, I take it, washing when I am able, but I can't work at present."

First of all out of the \$10 was put aside for the Christmas dinner. Mrs. McGrane's menu and the prices for the family of ten are as follows:

A \$2 Dinner for Ten.

Two canshews, nine pounds in all, at 14 cents; a pound of cold potatoes, 18 turns; 10 oz. onions, 14 cents; 10 oz. corn, 12 cents; pudding, 10 cents. Total, \$2.

For the dessert object of the big family, Mrs. McGrane bought a pair of warm woven gloves. This fifteen-year-old girl is up early in the morning going to work. Two pretty bantam chairs, which cost 20 cents for both, and a ribbon for 20 cents completed the meal.

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MRS. MCGRANE AND SEVEN OF HER FAMILY.

LUDWIG BAUMANN & CO

West 125th Street, near Seventh Avenue.

Make Your Xmas Investment Do Double Duty; Buy HERE!

\$17.80 for \$26 Mission Library Tables, like design, in fine solid weathered oak.

\$3.65 for \$15 Ladies' Mission Desks, like design, finely made in solid weathered oak.

\$14.25 for \$23 Verne's-Martin Ladies' Desks; like design, very handsomely made and hand painted; fine French bevel mirror top, and carefully finished interior.

\$4.97 for \$8 Smokers' Stands, like design, in solid weathered oak, fire ash receivers, etc.

\$3.25 for \$6 Gold Leaf Chairs, like design, finely upholstered in silk damask; none to dealers.

Cash or Credit. Open Evenings Until Xmas.

\$9.53 for \$17 Mission Morris Chairs, like design, in weathered oak, spring seat; complete with hair-filled reversible velour cushions. Others from \$4.89.

\$3.65 for \$6 Mission Rockers, like design, richly made in quartered weathered oak, strongly built.

\$9.25 for \$17 Verne's-Martin Music Cabinets, like design, very rich pattern, beautifully made and hand painted.

\$6.45 for \$12 Music Cabinets, like design, fine mahogany finish, richly made and hand painted.

\$1.79 for \$3 Child's Morris Chairs, like design, in golden oak, with velour cushions.

.98c for \$1.55 Child's Rockers, like design, strongly made in solid golden oak.

\$1.98 for \$3 Ormolu Gift Clocks, like design, handsomely made, with fine clock movement, 11 inches high.

.98c for \$1.75 Ormolu Gold Ink Stands, like design, exquisitely made with cut glass ink well.

Silver Novelties, Toilet Articles, &c.

When the Telephone has a Bad Breath

THAT'S the time to take a Cascaret. —When your Tongue is coated— —When you have Heartburn, Belching, Acid Risings in Throat. —When Pimples begin to peep out. —When your Stomach Gnaws and Burns. —That's the time to check coming Constipation, Indigestion and Dyspepsia.

One single Candy Cascaret will do it, if taken at the right minute, just when you first feel the need of it.

A "Cascaret in time is worth nine" later on.

Cascarets don't Purge, nor Weaken, nor waste Digestive Juices in flooding out the Bowels, like Salts, Castor Oil, Cathartics.

But, they act like Exercise on the Muscles that shrink and expand the Intestines, thus pushing the Food on naturally to its Finish.

The little thin, flat, Ten Cent Box is for your Vest Pocket or "My Lady's" Purse. Carry it constantly, like your Watch.

Warranted to Cure
—Constipation
—Indigestion
or Money Refunded

They act like Exercise.
Cascarets
—for the Bowels

10¢ 10¢

ACTRESS SHOOTS HERSELF.

"Dollie" Powers Commits Suicide Brooding Over Mother's Death.

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 19.—Mrs. Howells Powers, known on the stage as "Dollie" Powers, wife of the manager of "The Melodeon," Plaza Company, committed suicide with a revolver here last night.

Her mother and sister were burned to death in their Lexington, Ky., home some years ago and she had stood over their charred remains until her mind weakened.

Store Will Be Open This Evening.

TOYS

on the Third Floor—thousands of them. Everything new. Everything the youngster wants.

BOOKS

on the Main Floor—with wonderful assortment, and prices no other store can approach.

Simpson Crawford Co.

SIXTH AVE., 19TH TO 20TH STREET, NEW YORK.

Second Floor.

Women's Blouses and Waists

Practical Xmas Gifts

OUR aim has been and is to give you a splendid assortment of Holiday Waists at nominal prices. We are selling a great many of them—the best evidence of their merit and value.

Messaline Silk Dress Waists in white only; elaborately trimmed with fine tucks, Val. insertion and lace; three-quarter sleeves, with beautiful cuffs, slashed points; very **\$8.75**

Fine Lingerie Waists of Mercerized Batiste, front of fine medallions with tucks and Val. lace; back and sleeves trimmed with lace and tucks; lace collar and cuffs; like the picture. **\$2.25**

Jap Silk Waists, \$3.75 to \$4.75. Silk Messaline, \$4.75 to \$1.75. White, Black and Ecru Waists, \$6.75 to \$16.75.

New Lawn Waists with full tucked yoke; handsome wide embroidery forming pointed effect; \$1.75 value for. **\$1.25**

500 White Golf Vests of wool; full front; gathered in back; \$1.25 value. **89c**

Final Reductions on Men's and Women's

Silk Hose 3 to 1 Off

THE last of the big lots told off during the past week; gathered together for quick selling—at prices having absolutely no relation to their worth.

Women's Pure Silk Hose in black, white and various other colorings, kinds we have sold ready up to \$1.50 the pair; marked to close at **95c**

Women's Pure Silk Hose in all the leading colors, and quite a large quantity to choose from; formerly priced \$1.75 pair; to close at **\$1.15**

Our lines of Colored-Lace Boot and All-Over Laces in Silk. have no counterparts at the prices. Hand Embroidered in very beautiful designs. \$2.50 to \$7 pair.

Men's Spun Silk Hose in black and colors; our regular \$1.25 kinds.... **75c**

Men's Pure Silk Half Hose black and gray; self-tucked; our regular \$1.50 kinds.... **1.10**

Six Pairs, \$6.

Fourth Floor.

Great Value-giving Group of Useful and Decorative UPHOLSTERINGS

A large and handsome array of practical and appropriate items for holiday giving is shown in this corner of our Great Store. Perhaps something in the appended list may be of use as Gifts or in your own home, in a decorative sense, for the Christmas festivities.

MATTING SHIRT WAIST BOXES. **\$3**

Made from seasoned lumber, reinforced with rattan; 26 inches long, 15 inches wide and 15 inches high.

SATIN COVERED CUSHIONS. An immense range of artistic designs and colorings; plump and well-filled cushions..... **\$2.50**

FANCY LAMBREQUINS. For piano or mantel drapery; a large assortment up to \$6.90.

TURKISH RUG COUCH COVERS. The heavy and reversible kind, with tufts all around—160 inches wide.

ORNAMENTAL BRASS COAL BOXES. A magnificent showing; our direct importation can be used for wood, shoes, etc., at **7.50**

DRAPERY SATIN. Magnificent border patterns. In new designs and colors; the usual \$1 quality; per yard..... **7.50**

Foreign Table Covers. Several designs and color effects in the large dining table size. Regularly \$5.00 at.

MISSION DINING ROOM PICTURES with brass centre and Mission frames, a new picture novelty. **2.25**

FOREIGN TABLE COVERS. Several designs and color effects in the large dining table size. Regularly \$5.00 at.

PORT AND SHERRY. Prepared garnishes. Fruits and full-bodied California wines; they are good; per gallon **\$1.25**

WAVERLEY COFFEE. Old Government Mocha and Java. Blended the way you like it. **10 lbs., \$1.05; 3 lbs., \$1.00;** 1 lb., **25¢**

JAMES HENNESSY & CO. COGNAC. The red & 25 bottle special at **31**

CONDENSED MINCE. Mincemeat selected White Lentils, dried beans, Macaroni, Turnips, Zucchini, **9c**

SPANISH QUEEN OLIVES. Large selected mammoth fruits. Quart jar, **60c.; pint jar, 35c.**

H. & E. CRYSTAL OMINO SUGAR. 5-lb. sealed carton... **35c.**

NEW SEADED RAISINS. Fancy large California fruit. 6 cartons, 85c.; 1 lb. carton, **15c.**

NEW IMPORTED Currants. Sealed, luscious fruit. 6 cartons, 85c.; 1 lb. carton, **15c.**

Sunday World Wants Work Monday Wonders

Three Great Lots of Men's Half Hose; $\frac{1}{3}$ Off

WHILE we'll sell this lot of half hose in single pairs, if you so wish them, at the same time we have prepared them in Boxes containing a half-dozen pairs—got up specially for Christmas selling.

The values are wholly out of the ordinary, while qualities are up to the standard we always maintain in our hose.

Men's Plain Black Spun Silk Half Hose

in two different weights—

with cotton soles; exceptional for wear; in Holiday boxes.

6 pairs, \$4 or 75c Pair

Men's High Grade Hand-Embroidered Lists and Cotton Half Hose; fifty designs; kinds never sold anywhere for less than 75c the pair, in attractive